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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re original application of:

Applicant

Kenneth C. Hart

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Title of Invention

AIR-INFLATABLE INSULATED COOLER WITH AT LEAST

ONE REMOVABLE PRINTABLE EXTERIOR SURFACE

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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 16, 2004**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed in the above-referenced Application on October 16, 2004, Applicant submits herewith a Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and USPTO Credit Card Payment Form, in payment of the requisite fees of \$475.00.

Due to the final nature of this Office Action, Applicant has filed a new Continuation Application Under 1.53(b) in order to continue prosecution of the subject matter set forth in the present Application. This new Continuation Application under 1.53(b) has been filed under a separate cover.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 16, 2004

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